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OF THE
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OF THE
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Heskaythes of Rufford
IN
LANCASHIRE.

*Copied from the original Roll, in the possession of Sir Thomas George Fermor-Hesketh,
of Rufford, Bart.*

TOGETHER WITH

The Hesketh Pedigrees

FROM THE VISITATIONS OF LANCASHIRE, 1613, 1654, ETC.

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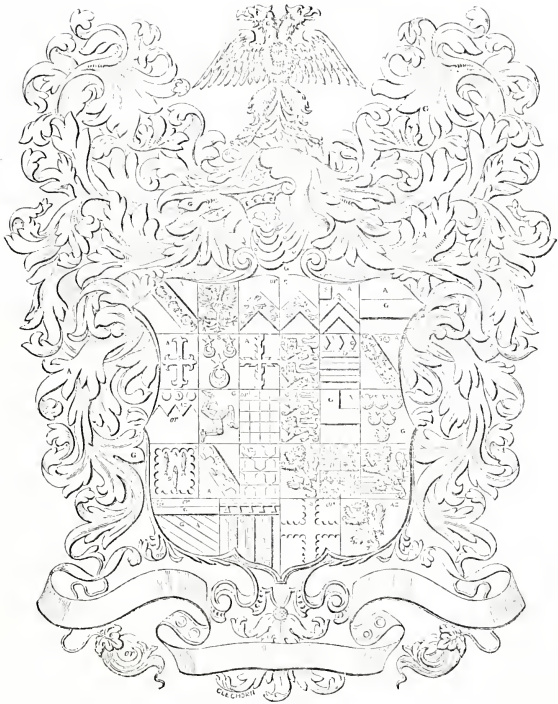
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Hesketh Quarterings.

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John de hese-
kayth a youg'
some to
William and
Elborn.

Adam de hese-
kayth a
youg' some
to W^m and
Elborn who
married Mawd
4s. to W^m
flouring larv.
of Weth.

Syr William
Heskyath
knight
lord of
he-kathie
and of
Hecousawc
who
married
youg' some
to W^m and
Elborn who
married Mawd
4s. to W^m
flouring larv.
of Weth.

Elizabeth
another of
the do. and
leaves to
R. fitton
was married
vnto Roger
Norell
lord of
Kende and
had ysau. *Argyl*
*Three co-
vred caps
sables,
impaling
Filton.*

Dame Mawde
one of the
daughters &
heires of
Richard
fytton lord
of greth
wode &c.

Edmund Fitzham. Earle of Arundell, that married thereto. Warren's daughter
and heire, was some to Ric. Fitzham, Earle of Arundell, lo. of Clune and
oswestry, who married Alice, daughter to Roger Mortimer. And was some
to John fitzden E. of Arundell, who married Isabel, daughter to Roger, lord
Mortimer, and was some to John Fitzham, whom I had by partion. The
Castle of Arundell by vnto whereof he was created, Earle of Arundell, in the
28th year of King Hen. 3. hee married the daughter of the Lord Verdon,
And was some to John Fitzham, eilr. lord of Clune and Oswe-try, and
married Isabel, second daughter and one of the heires of Wm. Davrey, an
Earl of Arundell and lo. of Buckenham &c. wh. W. Earle of Arundell
married Mabel his sister and one of the heires of Randolph Earle of Chester
Lyreholme and Huntington descended from Hugh the Earle of Chester sister
some to King Wm. the Conq^r. Wm. Dawbigy, Earle of Arundell, was some
to Wm. Dawbigy Earle of Arundell Some to Wm. Dawbigy lord of Buck-
enham who married Queene Alice Wyldow and latter wife to King Hen. 1
and Wm. her husband was some to Wm. Dawbigy my lord of Buckenham
who married the daughter of Roger Byzoll Earle of Norfolk And that
Wm. Dawbigy was some and heire to William Dawbigy Butler of England
and lo. Buckenham by the gyft of k. W. the Conqueror. Sir John fitzham,
knight, was some to William that married Isabel, daughter to Sir Ingram de
Say, knight. Wm. Fitzham was some to Wilhm. Some to another Wm. fitz-
ham, lo. of Clune and Oswestry, that married Alice, daughter and heire to Sr
William Peryvell, knight, some to another Sr Wm. Peryvell tpe. Wm. Conq^r.
And Wm. fitzham was some to Alan Fitzham, lord of the Castle and Manor
of Madoc ap Meredith, in Wales, by the gyfte of king Wm. the Conq^r.

Adam de hes-
kayth another
some to s.
Wm myrval
and had
ysau.

William some
and heire of
Alan married
Alice and
Dewll and
died at Rufford.

Thomas de Heskath
Lord of Heskayth
&c.
*Hesketh, Stafford,
Tullough, and
Filton, impaling
gules a chevron
betwix three wodes'
heads erased argent,
langued azure.*

Edmund fitton
married Alice
and had
ysau. he had
lordship of
Rufford.

Adam
Norell
some &
heire of
Roger &
Elizabeth
married
and had
ysau.

Elizabeth
another do. and heire to
Ed. fytton was married to
Edmond legie Lord of Chosone
17. E. 1.
*Argyl three bars sable, impaling
Filton.*
It appeareth by witnesses that this El-
izabeth was the wife
of Anallia, and had nos ysau, and so
descent Anallia sister to Dame Mawde
to Ric. Earl and one of the three Coheres
and her heire vnto the said Dame
Mawde and to her heires for ever:
And it appeareth also in the Gyfte
of the said King Hen. 3. that
Anallia his wyfe Gae & Grammet
all their inheritances to Sir William
Heskyath knight and to Dame Mawde
his wyfe. And the said Sir
William & his wyfe had
heire to the aforesaid Edmunde.
Heskyath knight 2 to E. 3.

Elizabeth, wife to Sir Robert Gweshill knight, mother to Jane, one of their heires, wife to Sir
Thomas Stratton, knight of the Garter, heyntenant of Ireland, and Chamberlaine to King Hen. 6.
who created him lord sturmy, father to Thomas sturmy, first Earle of Derby of k. Ric. 3.
mother to John, first Constable of England and knight of the Garter. The aforesaid Elizabeth,
and her heire, was some to Thomas fitzham, Earle of Arundell, Sussex,
Warren, and daughter vnto Ric. fitzham, Earle of Arundell, Sussex, warren, and
Surrey, and daughter vnto Ric. fitzham, Earle of Arundell, Essex, and Northampton.
Surrey, and of Elizabeth, daughter of Wilhm. Ratham, Earle of Hereford, Essex, and of Dame
Rie, was some to Ric. fitzham, Earle of Arundell, Sussex, Warren, and Surrey, and of Northampton.
Edmond Plantagenet daughter to Henry Earle of Lancaster, and sister to Henry Duke of Lancaster.
And that Ric. was some to Edmund fitzham Earle of Arundell, lord of Clune &c. of Oswe-try
and of dame Alice daughter to Wm. Earle Warren and Surrey, and sister and heire to John Earle
Warren and Surrey. Wilhm. married Jane daughter to Robt. veer Earle of Oxford. Wm. was
some of John Earle Warren and Surrey who married Alice daughter to Wilhm. Plantagenet Earle
Marches of Sherry his sister to king Hen. 3. John was some to Wilhm. Plantagenet Earle
Warren and Sherry whose married Mawd second daughter to Wm. Earle Marshall and Pembroke,
and one of his heires wt. Wm. Earle marshal of England married Isabel daughter to heire to,
Ric. Earle of Ogye and pembroke some to Another Ric. E. of Ogy & pembroke lord of Cheshire,
who married Eva sole daughter and coheretrix to nonmarth king of Lemster in Ireland. William
plantagenet was some to Hamond plantagenet, brother to King Hen. 2th, he married Isabel
daughter and heire to Wm. E. Warren and Surrey daughter of Edward of Hereford. William
Gombard a daughter to King Wm. the Conqueror and by her had Clurkland Bromfield and Yale he
was created Earle of Surrey by King Wm. Rufus he was brother to Rafe lord mortymer. And to
Hugh Earle gournay. They Came all i j wt. Wilhm. the Conqueror to his ayce.

A B C D E F G

William de
heskath a
young' come to
Sr Wllym
knicht who
had landes
in Bevesow
a^c 23. E. 3.
Arms,
Hesketh.

Thomas Hesketh Esq
Lord of Hesketh, &c.
To length, Fyfe,
Fifton, and Keadell,
impryng mysd a
cross floye stde.

Syr John
one of the
flouryng
knicht
Barn of
Wath and
his heires
Thomas
Dame
Alice his
Daunters
widow hadd
Baron of
Newton
&c, married
ysse.
S^r Thomas
at 19^e E. 3.
Arms,
Fleming.

Margaret
Temperer E. 2.
Syr John Dullmore
knight Lord of
Cawston and of
Mawkeslugh had j
daunters and heires
Damo
Alice his
Daunters
widow hadd
Baron of
Newton
&c, married
ysse.
S^r Thomas
at 19^e E. 3.
Arms,
Fleming.

Syr John Dullmore
knight lord of
Cawston and of
Mawkeslugh who
married and begate
two daughters and
heires.
Gale, two lions in
pale passant re-
guardant or.

Richard lord woodrile and
Earle Ryvers married Joco-
lyno daughter the night
lord Peter Earle of Salwe-
ryde and by her had ysse
Ric. Woodrile Earle Ryve
murthered by Ric.
Duke of Gloucester w^t out
ysse, Anthony woodrile
murthered. 1. Jocoelyno
suster and heire to Anthony
married to John lo. Strainge
of whom the ysse fol-
lowing is descended
2. Margarett another suster
married vnto Thomas Fitz-
alan, Earle of Arundell, of
whom is descended.
3. Anne, another suster,
first married vnto Willm.
lord Bovercheit, and after
to George Graye, Earle of
Kent. 4. Elizabeth, an-
other suster, first, married
vnto Sr John Graye, knight,
and after she was married
vnto king Edward the
fourth, and had ysse by
bothe husbandes. 5. Kath-
erine, another suster, was
married vnto Henry, Earle
of Stafford, and Duke of
Buckingham, of whose is
descended The Lord Staf-
ford and others. 6. Marye,
another suster, married vnto
Sir William Herbert, Earle
of Pembroke, and had
ysse The Earle now living,
and Sir Edward herbert,
his brother.

Richard lord Strainge of knocking
marched Elinore daughter to Sr Reynolde
Cobham lorde Cobham of Scarborough
and had ysse John lo. Strainge as after is
shewed. Yc lo. Strainge was some and
heire to John lo. Strainge who married
Marke one of the daughters and heires of
John Molyns some and heire to John herd
to Molyns, and had ysse Ric. to Sr John herd
of Bartholomew, Dr. Burewicke and by her
the said Jo. hadd married Jane daughter
of Edward prince of Burwaske and by her
another daughter and heire married vnto
Edward plantagenet dake of York.
Elizabeth another daughter and heire of
Richard vnto William Mountreith Earle of
Salisbury, John lo. Molyn married
Christina, daughter to Sr John Segeane
knight and was some to John lo. Molyn
and heires to
Sr Thomas
John was some to Wm. lo. molyn of
Dunstar who married Elinore daughter to
Raynold Fitzpeters. Wm was some to
John de molyn who married John
Grobic and heire to her mother Sibilla &
daughter & one of ye heires to Wm. Earle
Marshall and Penobric for his first wif,
John de molyn stward of gascoigne was
some & heire to Reignolde de molyn
Earle of Hereford who married haviwe dought-
er to John Fitz Geoffrey. This Rainold
was some to another Rainold molyn
Earle of Som'set and lorde of Dunstar in
the right of Daine Alice his wif doughter
and one of the heires to Wm. de Brewer
lord of Dunstar. Rainold was some to
Wm. E. of Som'set some to Wm. E. of
Som'set some to Wm. E. of Som'set some
to Wm. molyn called Sauell who came
into england at king Wm. the Conquer. who
Created him Earle of Somerset for his
good service at the Conquest tyme.

William de
heskath some
and heire to
stephan (sic)
who was
heskath and
loche of
of Beconswae
23. E. 3.
Arms,
Hesketh.

Because the Countes
with their due dif-
ferences and blood
of most case therof
to be kept, and of
appertaining to the
ysse and posterite
of Robert the third
of Beconswae
&c. Thaw thought it
necessary to shewe
Also how Alice wite
to the said Richard
at Som'set and heire
of Dunstar daughter
and heire to Wm de
Brewer lord of Dunstar
daughter and heire
vnto Wm Ryvers Earle
of Exeter and Devon
which was some to
Wm. de Som'set
in Normandy some to
Ric^e Ryvers Earle of
Essex & so. of wight
Essex, Created by Wm
Conquer Earle of Exeter
who married the sale
of Wm de Som'set
Earle of hereford and
they had ysse as afore
shewed.

Sir John Stan-
ley, knight,
seconded some
to William
Stanley thider,
level of stan-
ley and stan-
ley and
Wllym. hont
married Mir-
gery, dought-
er and heire
to Wllym. de
hont, lord of
hont, (Hoot),
he married
Isabel, one of
the daughters
and heires to
Sr Thomas
larthom, knight.

John lord Strainge of knocking
maried Jocoelyne
oldest doughter of one of ye heires of Richard
lord Woodrile and Earle Ryvers and had ysse.
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<p>Robert Hesketh, esquire some and heir to Thomas dyed and had no issue of his body begotten as appeared the 10. H. 4^o 1389.</p> <p>Gilbert hesketh a young brother to nicholas married and had issue. <i>Hesketh, with a bordure azure for difference.</i></p>	<p>Nicholas Hesketh Esq^r, Lord of Hesketh &c. 1415. <i>Hesketh, Stafford, Tolfeworth, Filton, Kendall, and Bantler, impaling sable three crescents, two and one, beneath as many mullets argent.</i></p> <p>Margaret daughter & one of the heirs to . . . Minshall. She deceased at Radcliffe Ann^r 5^o H. 5.</p>	<p>Sir Thomas Fleming knight Baron of Wath and lord of Croston & Mawdsley in the right of dame Isobell his wife visit 45. E. 3: et vsq^r. 10. R. 2. <i>Fleming, impaling Dallamere.</i></p> <p>This Sr Thomas Fleming served the Duke prince in France and at his decease gave the 3 years during the to Richard de county precent to be provisor for</p> <p>Ifynd amongst all ancient evidences that Fleming Baron of Wath his seale was a bond between three Annetts And that Fleming of idenat did beare three bars with by hand therethis and the se churches for y^e Baron of wath.</p>	<p>Sir John Stanley, knight, lord of Lathom and knowlesy, some and heir to Sr. John Stanley, knight, married Elizabeth, daughter to s. John Harrington, knight, & suster to Sir Willm. Harrington, knight, lord of Lymvay, Cane Sr Ric^e broughton knight. This Sr. John Stanley was sturnd of the householl to king hen. 4. and had yssue.</p>
<p>William Hesketh second some Chappayne says yssue.</p> <p>John hesketh preest fourth some.</p> <p>Inghe hesketh fyvch.</p>	<p>Sir Thomas Hesketh kn^t Lord of Radford Obij^t Sibill daughter and one of the heirs to Sir Robert Laurence, knight married quito H. 5. & had yssue.</p>	<p>Thomas Hesketh Esq^r Lord of Hesketh and Radford, ob. Oct. 8^o A.D. 1453. <i>Hesketh, Stafford, Tolfeworth, Filton, Kendall, Banister, Minshall, and Lawrence, impaling quarterly 1 and 4 for Mawse, quarterly argent and gules in first quarter a mailed sables; 2 and 3 for three crescent eyes or.</i></p> <p>This Thomas Hesketh esq^r presented libertie not to be knighted against his good liking thereof 24. Hen. 6.</p>	<p>Thomas lord stanley and of Man, heed lieutenante of Ireland to king hen. 6, who Created him lord stanley, knight of the garter, and lo. sturnd of his householl. The married John, daughter, and one of the heirs to Sr. Robert Gowsill, knight, and of dame Elizabeth his wife Girdles of North, suster and heir to Thomas Earle of Arundell, Warren and Surrey.</p>
<p>William Hesketh third some.</p> <p>John hesketh preest fourth some.</p> <p>Inghe hesketh fyvch.</p>	<p>Sir Thomas Fleming esquire some and heir to Sr Thomas married and hadd a suse wit vsq^r. 14^o H. 6. <i>Fleming quarterly Dalmere.</i></p>	<p>Margaret one of the daughters to Hannet Masey of Rax- ton vsq^r wif to Thomas and by him hadd yssue.</p>	<p>Thomas lord stanley and of Man lord sturnd and father in law to king Hen. 7, married to his first wif Alice, daughter to Richard de Noyell Earle of Salisbury, and suster to Ric. Nevill, Earle of Warwick and Salisburie; And to his seconde wif he married Margare, Countes of Richmond, mother to king Henry the vyth. This Thomas was by the said king Created Earle of Derby, knight of the garter and Constable of England and had yssue.</p>
<p>William Hesketh fourth some.</p> <p>John hesketh preest fourth some.</p> <p>Inghe hesketh fyvch.</p>	<p>William Fleming esquire Baron of Watlio Lovle of Croston and Mawdsley hadd yssue by Elizabeth his shive professed Christiane and took the Mantle and the ring ob. Sep. 17. 1488.</p>	<p>Alice one of the daughters to s. Robert Booth knight lord of Dumlain nasey in the county of Chester and hadd yssue. After the death of her husband shive professed Christiane and took the Mantle and the ring ob. Sep. 17. 1488.</p>	<p>George lord Stanley & straining, some and heir to Thomas, Earle of Derby, married John, sole daughter and heir to John lo. Straining, of Jaquet, eldest knocking, and of Jaquet, eldest daughter and one of the heirs to Ric. b. Woodville and Earle Ryvers, suster to Elizabeth, Queene to king Ed. 4, & mother to king Hen. 8.</p>

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The family of the house of Aughton. The said William Hesketh, married, and had issue Bartholomew Hesketh, who married . . . to his first wife, and by her had issue George, who married and had issue William Hesketh, of Pullon, now living. And to his second wife he married Anne, one of the daughter and had issue Clayton, esquire, and had issue Gabriel, James, and many other children. Gabriel married Jane, one of the daughters and heirs of Sr Tho. Halsall, knight, and had issue Barthol., Thomas, and Catherine; And by Elizabeth Gerrard, second wife, Elizabeth, first mar. to Alex. Houghton, esqr., and aft. to George Warburton, and Grace to myles Gerrard, of Hugs, esqr.

Richard hesketh attorney Gene- ral to that most famous prime of memory & King Hen. 8. Doves daughter to Robert married into John Nowell some & heir into Roger Nowell of the Rente esq & had issue. Alice daughter to Robert married to s. Richard Aughton knight lo. of the Meaks and had issue.

Margaret daughter to Robert was married into Henry knight esquire some & heir to Ric. of lightley esq. Doves daughter to Robert married into John Nowell some & heir into Roger Nowell of the Rente esq & had issue. Alice daughter to Robert married to s. Richard Aughton knight lo. of the Meaks and had issue.

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Thomas Hesketh Esq Lord of Hesketh and Rufford Ob. Aug. 14, 1523. Grace daughter to s. John Towlely of Towlely had issue diverse children & all died in their infancies obijt 29 Junij 1510. half wite to thom's.

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Elizabeth dough- ter to Willm Fleming Baron of watil & lo. of Cresson and of Mardeshale wife of his sister & one of the heirs to John Fleming. John Fleming her brother qui obijt sine p'le 17. E. 3.

V |

Sir James Stanley, knight, second son to George lord Stanley and Strange after the death of s. John Stanley, of whom there is no issue, Sr James married Anne, daughter to Sr John Hart, of Kent, Sister to s. Ferrynall, hart, knight, and had issue many sonnes and daughters. He was brother, to thoms. Earle of derbire.

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Sir Robert hesketh knight the onely child of Thomas obijt 1589. Heby six *Filton, M. leath, Stafford, Th. Harporth, Filton, Kendall, Brauster, Minsdell, Laurance, Balamore, and Fleming, tapping quarterly 1 and 4 argent a fesse, in chief three mullets white, for Towlely, 2 and 3 sede three herpards tripartit argent.* A King Henry the first mar. to s. John, and for his valour forward in active and good service there was knighted by thasid king ow hand with great countenance and many riches, and was a valiant man, being self, to his people, and his Countreys for ou.

Dame Grace one of the daughters to s. John Towlely of Towlely knight married to s. Robert and by hym hadt issue. 22 May 1513.

Sir John holcroft knight married Anne one of the daughters to Rade Standish of Standish of standishes of whom disire test whom married Almo or elyn one the daughter and heirs of s. James harington knight of Brixworth.

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The familie of Harringtons of Brixworth. Sir James harington knight of Woldeshe in Northamptonshire hadt great possessions in Lancashire and was some and heir to Sr W. harington knight, who married the daughter to Sr John Pilkington knight second son to John Pilkington and Sr W. harington knight. John Pilkington husband to margaret was some and heir to Sr Roger Pilkington knight some and heir to Sr W. harington knight and was some and heir to Sr Ric. harington knight Lord of blackroade and westley whose married. Mabel one of the daughters and heirs to Willm. Bradshew 16. of blackrod and westley some and heir to the abroad who married the daughter & heir of Sr Robert verwick knight lying so to H. 6. Sr James was some and heir to Sr Nicholas harington knight in Thirde some of the houses of lordes who married the daughter & heir of s. John English knight. The first above Sr Ja. harington knight married Anne daughter to Sr Alexander Radcliffe of grethall (radcliff) knight and hadt issue with s. John English knight some and heir to Sr W. harington knight and to Sr Thomas harington knight. Sr W. harington knight fell to his xx sisters & heirs viz. 1. Anne was married to Sr Willm. at calcy knight lord of standish sturton & hadt issue with s. Richard harington knight, who fell to his xx sisters & heirs viz. 2. Alice was married to Sr Richard houghton knight, who fell to his xx sisters & heirs viz. 3. Elizabeth was married to Sr Thomas tressan now living & others. 4. Katherine married into Sr Wm myrcel of calcy of york esqr of holy acert family. 5. Clouence married to Henry Northmore knight esqr. 6. Clouence married to Edward esqr now living aged limited. 6. Flou to Edw. myrcel of standish esqr of who was knight. 7. Margaret married to Tho. Pilkington mother to Jane married to Roger Ashlawe of the Charnock esqr whereof is Sr Ja. Radcliff of walsall's one descended. 8. Janet married to Roger Ashlawe of the Charnock esqr whereof is Sr Ja. Radcliff of walsall's one descended. 9. Eleanor married to Roger Ashlawe of the Charnock esqr whereof is Sr Ja. Radcliff of walsall's one descended. 10. Elizabeth married to Wm hindey of Russhon County of Cloucester Esqr whereof is now a great familye.

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Robert Hesketh of Rufford Esq^r Son and heir of Robert Hesketh and Margaret Lucy Daughter of Alexander Rigby of Middleton in the County of Lancaster Esq^r afterwards wife to John son & heir of St Francis Molineux of Favershall in the County of Nottingham Baronet.

Alexander Hesketh died V. his infancy.

Thomas Hesketh of Rufford Esq^r Son and heir of Sidney Daughter of St Richard Grosvenor of Eaton in the County of Chester Baronet by Sidney Daughter of St Roger Mostyn of Mostyn in the County of Flint Kn^t.

Robert Hesketh, etc., impaling azure a garb or.

Margaret Hesketh died unmarried aged twenty.

Lacy Hesketh died in her infancy.

Richard Esq^r eldest son and heir of Thomas Hesketh of Llancauster Esq^r 3^d son of Lord Spencer of Wormbleton. She married 2^{dy} . . . Dillingham Esq^r leaving issue.

Thomas Hesketh of Rufford Esq^r second son of Thomas Hesketh and Sidney Grosvenor became heir to his Father and Brother who died without issue male A.D. . . . Fitzton, Hesketh, etc., impaling quarterly 1 and 4 quarterly 1 and 4 or a lion chalyng argent and of the field 2 and 3 or a chey argent and of azure, in chief a chevron gules; 2 and 3 azure six annulets or; in the center grand quarter point a crescent argent.

Anno Hesketh eldest Daughter died without issue. = Hugh Warren Son of John Warren of Poynton in the County of Chester Esq^r. County of Chester Baronet.

Jane Hesketh Second Daughter married Henry Son of Sir Richard Brookes of Norton in the County of Gloucester.

Elizabeth Hesketh only Daughter of Robert Hesketh and Elizabeth Spencer married to St Edward Stanley of Bickerstaff in the County of Lancaster Baronet afterwards Earl of Derby.

Jane Hesketh only Daughter died in her infancy.

Thomas Hesketh of Rufford Esq^r Son and heir of Thomas Hesketh and Anne Graham Lord of Hesketh, Rufford Holmes and Holneswood Martholme Great Harwood Howgwich, Bolton &c. One of the Representatives in Parliament for ye Borough of Preston in ye County of Lancaster A.D. 1725. Fitzton, Hesketh, etc., impaling argent a bend sable between a mullet in chief and an annulet in base gules.

Martina only Daughter of James St Anand of Covent Garden Esq^r by Elizabeth Daughter of St William Juxon of Little Compton in the County of Gloucester Baronet.

Thomas Hesketh born September 23. 1723. died an infant.

Robert Hesketh died an infant.

Sir Robert Hesketh Baronet succeeded his Brother Sir Thomas, born at Rufford in 1729, took the Name of Juxon in 1792. died 30 Dec^r 1795.

Sir Thomas Hesketh of Rufford Esq^r succeeded his Phipps Esq^r of Waverre near Liverpool who died in 1762.

Sir Thomas Hesketh of Rufford = Harriet Dani^r & Coheir of Ashley Cooper Esq^r married 27 Jan^y 1727. 8. ob. S. P. dish Square.

Anne married to Henry Byne Esq^r of Carl-hallon in Surry.

Thomas Hesketh, Esq^r. Born at Jacinthia Daughter of Hugh Dalrymple Esq^r. Attorney General of Grenada. died April 1718. Died Jan^y 13, 1781.

Robert volunteered at the Battle of Bankers Hill, in the American War, where he was slain. S. P.

Thomas Born at Harriet Anne married Dorolien married to Sir Thomas Delrumplo Hesketh, Charlotte-Margaret mar- ried to Edmund 7th son Edward Pevson Chatham in 1772. to Col. John Despard died in his infancy. of the Kingdom of Ireland. Born at Carshalton Surrey 3 Decr 1771. America 13 Jan'y 1777. Mar- ried Sophia Daughter of the Rev^d Nat^l Hinde Vicar of Sliffnall in Co. Salop. 23 August 1771.

Jacintin-Catherine married to Thomas Lettbridge of Southall Park in Co. Somerset. Born at Montral in No^v America 31 Oct^r 1775. died Sept^r 1801 1778.

Lacy married to Lord Viscount North- land of Dingsham in Irehand Born at Preston Lancashire 21 March 1778.

* The names marked with an asterisk show the commencement of the modern part of the roll, but by whom these subsequent additions were made is not known; they are in a plain modern hand, written some seventy or eighty years ago.

The names thus marked show the addition of the three last generations in another hand, of a few years later date than the last. The old part of this pedigree appears to have been engrossed and illuminated in the lifetime of Robert Hesketh, the husband of Mary Stanley and Blahel Twyford, about the year 1594, but by whom there is no record. It is elaborate and beautiful in design and execution. Through the whole length runs an oak-branch, with leaves and noorns, for the male line, and rose and laurel branches for the lines of the heiresses. Edith the rounde of each descent, from Sir William Hesketh (1 Ed. I.) to Robert Hesketh and Mary Stanley (*supra* Elizabeth) is a kit-out portrait, or large miniature painting, of the descendant and his wife or wives, the knights being clad in armour and the rest in the gay and picturesque civilian costumes of the periods in which they respectively lived. Some of these portraits are, doubtless, from old altars, long since destroyed; but the later paintings—from about Edward IV.'s time or a little later—appear to have been copied from authentic portraits of the several persons represented. These pedigree miniatures are all in excellent preservation, the colours being perfectly bright and fresh. Beneath each descent is a somewhat large square shield, containing the quarters and impalements throughout,—the grand shield of quarters, splendidly emblazoned, being at the foot of the pedigree.

This roll is on the finest vellum and of unusual breadth (one foot nine), measuring upwards of eighteen feet in length. The notes scattered up and down the MS. are valuable additions, particularly that relating to the Harrington family, the information it contains having been looked for in vain by experienced antiquaries. But besides the marriages here mentioned, Katherine married, firstly, Roger Hulton, of Hulton, Esq; and Margaret, another sister and coheir, married, firstly, Christopher Hulton, of Furnworth, Esq. A very rare letter, descended from the Torbocks of Torbock to Thomas Holsby, Esq; of Lincoln's Inn,—the only Lancashire letter of its age that has been published or perhaps discovered may here be given, relating as it does to the families mentioned in the Harrington notes, and corroborating the correctness of a portion of them in a remarkable manner.—

"To my Cousyn Rauf Torbock esquier be this deliv^ded.
 "Cousyn I com^dle me vnto you & e^t. And where^e I am informed by the haire William Wainburly that ye intend to take for my c^on lands of yours wiche I hath tyme owe of mynde to his holdyng I herthly pray you to be guid^d my s^t to lye in the same so that hee may occupy as hee hath done aforetyme: Also I am informed by this said boyer that my Tonken hatrokes of the Folke claymeth in way to the heire holdyng wiche as hee saith ys contrary to right & guid^d consens: so^o Cousyn I pray you to speke wth the said hatrokes so y^t the ma^t myght rest vnto some reasonable day & I schalbe redy to me you on the said grounde & y^t to be done of right schalbe hadde. We have my fain^t cousyn this boyer schalbe attur the decess of my lady^e haryngton tou^{ch}. my cousyn tressaun & his Wyf who hath made me theyr steward of all th^{ing}. . . . in this contr^y & thefor I pray you to be guid^d attur to this boyer. . . . for my sake & y^t y^t mynch in me to do you any plessur I schalbe as glade . . . over lordes Whom kepe you.
 "Alex^r Bacheliff."

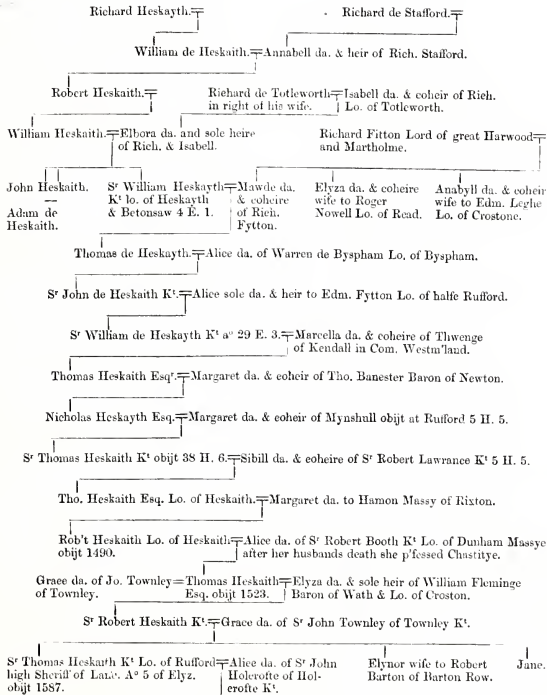
* Lady Harrington was the widow of Sir James, and being the daughter of Sir Alexander Ruddle, would probably be the brother of this letter. The Tressauns were a Northamptonshire family, which facts, together with the appearance, style, and orthography of the letter, fix its age pretty accurately at about four hundred years.

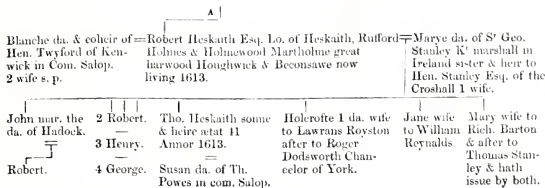
Hesketh Pedigrees,

From the Visitation of Lancashire, 1613.

Hesketh of Hesketh and Rufford.

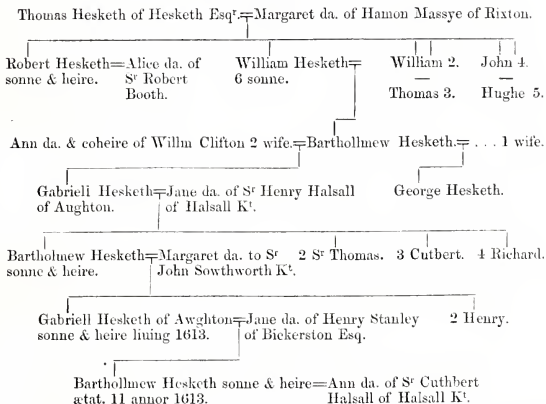
Arms, quarterly of eleven,—four, four, and three:—1. Argent on a bend sable three garbs or; Hesketh. 2. Argent a double-headed eagle displayed proper, beaked etc. gules, Hesketh. 3. Or on a chevron gules three cygnets proper; Stafford. 4. Sable on a chevron argent three martlets of the field; Totleworth. 5. Argent two chevrons and a canton sable; Fitton. 6. Argent a fess gules; Kendal. 7. Argent a cross floy sable; Banester. 8. Sable three crescents issuing from each a mullet argent; Minshall. 9. Argent a cross raguly gules; Lawrence. 10. Gules two lions passant guardant argent; Strange. 11. Argent three bars azure, in chief three lozenges gules.





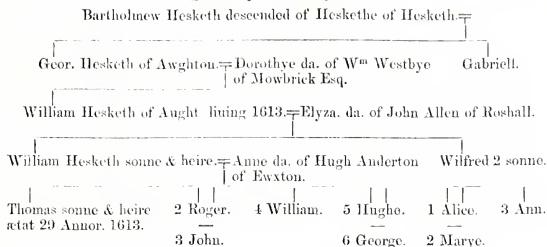
Robert Hesketh

Hesketh of Aughton.



Gabriell Hesketh

Hesketh of Aughton.

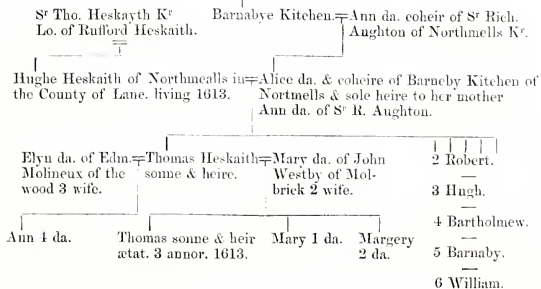


William Hesketh

Hesketh of North Meols.

Arms, quarterly of fifteen:—1, argent on a bend sable three garbs or; 2, argent a double-headed eagle displayed sable, beaked or; 3, or on a chevron gules three cygnets argent; 4, sable on a chevron argent three martlets sable; 5, argent two chevrons and a canton sable; 6, argent a chevron between three trefoils sable; 7, argent a fess gules; 8, argent a cross flory sable; 9, sable three crescents, each surmounted by a mullet argent; 10, argent a cross raguly gules; 11, gules two lions passant guardant argent; 12, argent three bars azure, in chief three lozenges gules; 13, argent on a chevron quarterly gules and sable between three birds of the third, as many bezants; 14, sable three garbs or; 15, argent a fess sable, in chief three torteaux.

John Kitchin of Pilling.



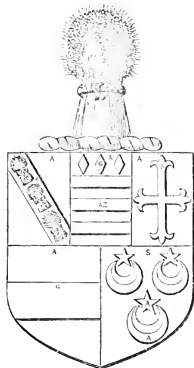
Hugh Hesketh

Hesketh Pedigrees,

From the Visitation of Lancashire, 1664.

Hesketh of Hesketh and Rufford.

Leyland Hundred.

Ormeskirke 22^d Sept. 1664.

Mary daughter of S^r George Stanley K^t sometyne Marshall of Ireland sister and heire to Henry Stanley of Crosse Hall in Com. Lancastriae Esq^r 1 wife.

Robert Hesketh of Hesketh Rufford Holmas and Holmeswood, Martholme Great Harwood Howghwick and Betton Esq^r died in a^o 1620.

Blanch daughter and coheire to Henry Tryford of Kenwick in com. Salop Esquire died without issue 2 wife.

Jane daughter of Thomas Spencer of Rufford one of the tenants to Robert Hesketh Esq^r afterwards married to Sir Richard Houghton of Houghton Tower in Com. Lane. K^t and Baronet 3 wife.

Robert born before Marriage.

Cuthbert Hesketh of Kenwick in com. Salop.

5 John Hesketh married Mary daughter of . . . Haydock of Phesantford.

3 Henry died without issue.

4 George Hesketh marr. Jane widow of . . . Sherborne a younger brother to Sherborne of Stanyhurst.

1 Thomas Hesketh Esq^r died without issue in November anno 1646.

Susan daughter of . . . Powes of . . . in Com. Salopia 1st wife.

Jane daughter of Edmonson of . . . in Com. . . . 2 wife.

Catherine da. of Alexander Briers of Lathom in Com. Lancastriae 3 wife.

2 Robert Hesketh of Hesketh Esq^r died in January A^o 1653.

Margaret daughter of Alexander Standish of Standish in Com. Lane. Esquire.

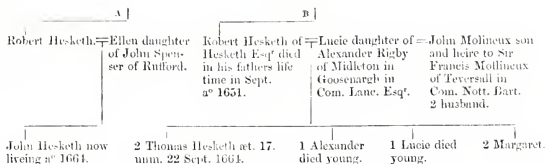
1 Holcroft first marr. to Lawrence Rosthorne of Newhaw in Co. Lanc. Esq^r after to Roger Dodswoth gent.

2 Jane first married to Edward Raynall of . . . in Com. Salop after to . . . Heanage of . . . in Com. Salop.

3 Mary first married to Richard Barton of Barton in Com. Lane. Esq^r afterwards to Tho. Stanley of Eccleston in com. Lancastriae.

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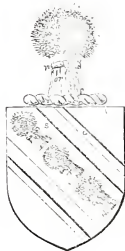


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in the behalfe of Thomas Hesketh Esq^r.

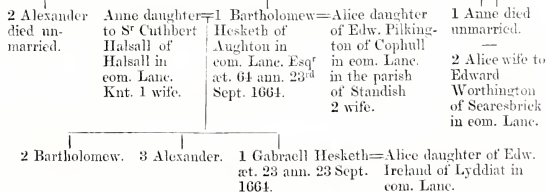
Hesketh of Aughton.

Derby Hundred.

Ormeskirke 23^o Sept. 1664.



Gabraell Hesketh of Aughton in Com. Lanc. Esq^r died a^o 1610 vel circa. = Jane daughter of Henry Stanley of Bickerstaff in Com. Lanc. Esq^r.



Certified by Bartholomew Hesketh.

